

March 27, 2022

HOLY SPIRIT CATHOLIC PARISH

Holy Spirit Catholic Parish is a faith community, centered in Jesus Christ, empowered by the Holy Spirit to proclaim God's love and the Gospel message through word and action to all.



HOLY SPIRIT CATHOLIC CHURCH 733 James I Harrison, Jr. Parkway E., Tuscaloosa, AL 35405

Mass Schedule:

Saturday	5:00 PM
Sunday	
Nursery available (up to age 5) during 8:45	& 11 AM Masses
Misa en Espanol (cada domingo)	1:00 PM
Monday-Friday	6:45 AM
Holy Days	
Confession	



St. John The Baptist Catholic Church 800 Lurleen B Wallace Blvd N, Tuscaloosa, AL 35401 (Mailing: 733 James I Harrison Jr. Pkwy E; Tuscaloosa, AL 35405)

Mass Schedule:

Sunday Suspended until further notice Monsignor Michael J. Deering, Pastor Father Victor Salomon, Associate Pastor Rev. Mr. Frank Slapikas, Deacon Rev. Mr. Adrian Straley, Deacon

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK



As we enter the last week of **March**, we're reminded that time is **Marching on!**

Our recent "Spring forward" with our clocks lengthened the hours of daylight in our afternoons ... but it didn't lengthen the hours in our days.

Time is truly Marching on!

It seems like just yesterday we were celebrating **Our Lord's <u>Birth</u>** ... and now <u>in 3 weeks</u> we'll be celebrating **His Resurrection!**

Easter is the highest Feast Day of the year for it proclaims the truth that is the foundation of our faith and hope ... namely that ...

Jesus, the Son of God, took on our humanity, suffered and died and then rose from the dead ...
never to die again!

If Jesus hadn't risen from the dead, we'd have nothing to hope for!

It's only because of His victory over death that we have hope of one day sharing

Eternal Life in Heaven.

And so, we never want to forget the price He paid for our redemption ... **Jesus** gave **His life** so that we could live.

Yes, there'd be no **Resurrection** without **His Passion**; there'd be no **Easter Sunday** without **Good Friday**.

It's **Jesus' Passion** and **Death** that we meditate on each time we pray

the **Five Sorrowful Mysteries of the Rosary**which include: His <u>Agony in the Garden</u>,
His <u>Scourging at the Pillar</u>, His <u>Crowning with Thorns</u>,
His <u>Carrying of the Cross</u> and His <u>Crucifixion</u>.

It's Jesus' Passion and Death that we meditate on each time we pray the Fourteen Stations of the Cross which include special moments

on His way to

His Death and His Burial.

It's Jesus' Passion and Death that we meditate on each time we pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet!

This prayer that is normally prayed on Rosary Beads is one of the most powerful prayers in the world!

Yes, we can do no better than to invoke the help of the Father through His Divine Son, Jesus!

Fifty times in the Chaplet we pray ... **(Father)**

"For the sake of <u>His</u> sorrowful Passion, have mercy on us and on the whole world."

And how special ... that this prayer calls for the Father's blessing not only on us ... but on the Whole World ...

much of which is suffering from war!

Please remain steadfast in your Prayers and Penances as you March through the first half of April so that your heart will be made new ... for Him!

God bless you! Love, Father Deering

Mass Intentions March 27 - April 2

Sunday, March 27 †Bonnie Kuberka

Monday, March 28 †Joe & Kitty Riscignito

Tuesday, March 29 †Tommy & Brenda Booker

Wednesday, March 30 †Jo Jo Richardson

Thursday, March 31 †Dan & Marian Stallworth

Friday, April 1 †Jerry & Marilyn Harper

Saturday, April 2
Permanent closing of West AL
Women's Center



TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading: Joshua 5:9a, 10-12

Second Reading: 2 Corinthians 5:17-21

Gospel:

Luke 15:1-3, 11-32



Next Week's Liturgical Schedule						
1 st Sunday of the Month						
Saturday, April 2 nd	Sunday, April 3 rd					
5:00PM	8:45AM	11:00AM				
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion						
Carol Naylor	Joe Phelps	Bob Lyons				
Robert Poole	Bill Colburn	Peg Lyons				
	Lori Colburn	Paul Lake				
Lectors						
Tim Didyoung	Bonnie Nalls	Patrick Hermann				
Steve Leisure	Mark Doyle	Joe Daidone				
Altar Servers						
Rich Turkiewicz	Roger Bedard	Carley Thompson				
Aaron Snipes		Brady Campbell				
Roger Bedard						

ROUND THE PARISH

Week Week

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	Sunday, March 27 Mass Divine Mercy Chaplet School Open House Youth Group	8:45am & 11:00am 10:00am 1-3:00pm 4-6pm	Church Church School Parish Hall
	Monday, March 28 Daily Mass	6:45am	Church
	Tuesday, March 29 Daily Mass RCIA—The Saints	6:45am 6:30pm	Church Parish Hall
	Wednesday, March 30 Daily Mass Scriptural Rosary Bible Study	6:45am 5:30pm 6:00pm	Church Chapel Knights Hall
	Thursday, March 31 Daily Mass Mom's Group	6:45am 9:30-11:00am	Church Parish Hall
	Friday. April 1 Daily Mass Pro-Life Rosary Stations of the Cross Fish Fry Hispanic Stations of the Cross	6:45am 9 :00am 5:30pm 6:00pm 7:00pm	Church WAWC Church Parish Hall Church
	Saturday, April 2 Confessions Mass	4:00pm 5:00pm	Church Church



Fr. John Francis Sofie Edwin Raper Virginia Ĉruse Carmen Talerico Larry Davis

Dana Wolter Sandra McDaniel Brenda Rhodes Billy McFarland

Names may be placed on the prayer list by calling the church office (553-9733 ext 2). The names will remain on the list for two weeks. Subsequent calls will add the name for another two weeks.

COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS (KOC): Meets 2nd Thurs @ 7 pm KC Hall. Grand Knight John Pomerleau (659) 239-0844

KOC LADIES AUXILIARY: Meets 3rd Thursday @ 2 pm KC Hall,

President: Carol Naylor (349-5566)
HOLY SPIRIT LADIES GUILD: Meets 2nd Thursday @ 10:00 am Parish Hall. (September-May) President: Carol Naylor (349-5566) CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAS: Meets 3rd Monday @ 6:00 pm Parish Hall. Regent: Kim Diano (205) 792-8711

ULTREYA/CURSILLO: 1st Monday, 6:30-8 pm, Parish Hall. Contact George & Lisa Lake, tuscaloosaultreya@gmail.com,

my4lakes@gmail.com or text 205-792-2701.

GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP: 1st Thursday at 10:00am in the Parlor.

Contact Maggie Gray at (205) 556-6050

MEALS ON WHEELS: Serves 2nd Sunday, Contact Ken Miksis at

(205) 242-2966. SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL: Call (205) 561-0282.

CATHOLIC SOCIAL SERVICES: Call (205) 759-1268, located at 608 James I Harrison Jr Pkwy E, Open M - Th. 9:00-11:30 am & 1:30 -

3:30 pm, Director: Sister Maria Elena Mendez

HOLY SPIRIT SCHOOL: Elementary School, principal Josh Saibini, phone (205) 553-9630; High School, principal Jonathan Loper, phone (205) 553-5606.

SACRAMENTS

BAPTISM: Parent/Godparent preparation. Contact the Parish Office. FIRST RECONCILIATION/FIRST COMMUNION: Students must attend Catholic School or Religious Education classes to be eligible for this Sacrament.

Contact Jeanne Doyle at holyspirittuscaloosa.reled@gmail.com. CONFIRMATION: Students must attend Catholic School or Religious Education classes to be eligible for this Sacrament. Contact Jeanne Doyle at holyspirittuscaloosa.reled@gmail.com.

MATRIMONY: Arrangements should be made with the Priest six

months in advance. Contact the Parish Office. **RECONCILIATION:** Saturdays at 4:00—5:00 pm; Sundays at 2:15— 3:00pm; daily after 6:45am Mass; or by appointment.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK: Recommended for all who are seriously ill or in danger of death. Contact the Parish Office.

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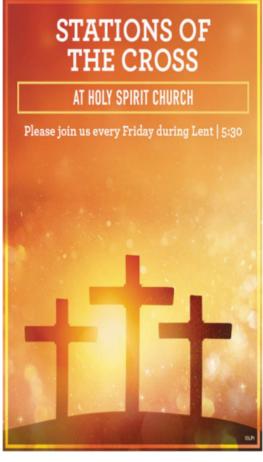
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It's not a holy day of obligation. There's not even one Mass said on that day. The anniversary of Jesus' crucifixion. Good Friday.

The day Jesus demonstrated His great love for us by freely accepting our destiny of death thru the brutal indignities of His scourging and crucifixion. And while there is no Mass on Good Friday, the liturgy includes the Proclamation of the Passion according to John, Solemn Intercessions.

Veneration of the Cross

and Holy Communion.

All families and individuals of Holy Spirit Parish are encouraged to make this an annual devotion and attend

the Holy Spirit Good Friday Service, April 15 at 6 PM.

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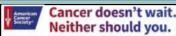
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